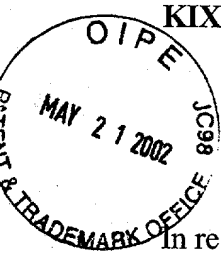


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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF  
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION – FILING DATE GRANTED**

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application – Filing Date Granted mailed April 4, 2002, copy attached, applicant is submitting herewith the English translation of the application accompanied by a Declaration stating that the translation is accurate. A check in the amount of \$130 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e) and 1.17(k) is attached herewith which is owed by applicant as a large entity for the late filing of these documents.

Applicant is also attaching herewith substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.84. Entry of these drawings into this application and prompt notification thereof is earnestly solicited.

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Finally, applicant respectfully requests that the Attorney Docket No. be changed to - -  
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Filing Receipt when issued reflect the Attorney Docket No. as - - KIX0169-US - -.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this  
communication or credit any overpayment to applicant's representative's Deposit Account No.  
50-1390. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

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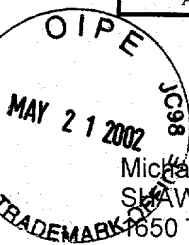
- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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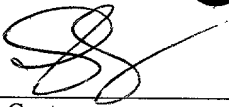
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